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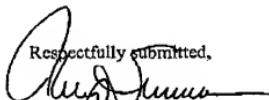
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ELECTION

Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 3, 2003. Applicants hereby elect Claims 1-27 for immediate prosecution and without prejudice.

Applicants respectfully note that the October 3, 2003 Restriction Requirement referred to Group I as (sic), "Claim, 1 through 26 and 61, . . ." Based on the specification as filed, however, Applicants submit that (i) Claim 27 depends from Claim 20 and thus should be included with the product claims; and (ii) no Claim 61 is pending in the case. Therefore, Applicants suggest that Claims 1-27 represent a proper group for election at this point in the prosecution of this application.

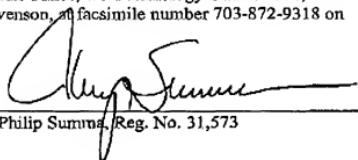
  
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